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Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration

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Mr. James L. Bowzer Vice President- North American Production Operations Marathon Oil Company 5555 San Felipe Road Houston, TX 77056

CPF 5-2012-0016M

Dear Mr. Bowzer:

On April 26, 2012, a representative from the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA), pursuant to chapter 601 of 49 United States Code, conducted a pipeline safety inspection of Marathon Oil Company's (MOC) Public Awareness Program procedures and records in Anchorage, Alaska. As a result of the inspection, MOC was issued a Notice of Amendment on June 1, 2012, which proposed amendment of your procedures.

MOC submitted its amended procedures on August 16, 2012. PHMSA has reviewed the amended procedures, and it appears that the inadequacies outlined in this Notice of Amendment have been corrected.

This letter is to inform you no further action is necessary and this case is now closed. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

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Deputy Director, Western Region

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cc: PHP-60 Compliance Registry

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